Minimum Scale of Pay in Treasuries of the State.

Q.—262. Sri P. M. SWAMIDORAI (Kolar Gold Fields–Scheduled Castes).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether it is a fact that the minimum scale of pay was enhanced in the Treasuries of the State and this has benefited only the junior officials in the Treasuries ; and

(*b*) whether it is not a fact that most of the officials who have put in a service of more than five years have not been benefited by this ?

A.—Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue and Public Works).—

(*a*) Statement appended below.

(*b*) The selection of officials to the cadre has yet to be made by a Committee to be appointed in this behalf. The extent to which officials would be benefited cannot therefore be known at this stage.

Consequent on the formation of a separate Treasury Cadre in the State, the scales of pay of Treasury Officials have been revised to take effect from 1st July 1954, as detailed below :—

	Existing Rs.	*Revised* Rs.
District Treasury Head Accountants ...	80—5—90—6—150	150—10—200/EB.10—250
District Treasurers, Deputy Accountants and Taluk (Treasury) Sheristedars ...	110—8—150 / 80—5—90—6—150	130—10—180
I Division Clerks ...	60—5—90—6—150	60—5—90—8—130/EB.—10—180
II Division Clerks ...	40—2—50—3—80	45—3—60—4—100
Shroffs, District Treasury ...	40—2—60	40—3—70
Shroffs, Taluk Treasury ...	30—2—50	30—3—60
Gollars, District Treasury ...	30—1—35	30—2—50
Gollars, Taluk Treasury ...	25—1—30	25—2—45

The revised scales are intended to make the selection and recruitment of better type of officials to the new cadre possible and not to confer benefits on existing incumbents.

Sri P. M. SWAMIDORAI.—Sir, in view of the reply given here for the sub-question (*a*), is it not a fact that the pay of the District Treasury Head Accountant who is getting Rs. 80 just now will be raised to Rs. 150 from 1st July 1954 ?

Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA.—The answer speaks for itself Sir.

Sri P. M. SWAMIDORAI.—In that case, what would be the position of the Head Accountant who is drawing Rs. 150 just now, at the time of 1st July 1954, Sir ?

Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA.—After the cadre is separated, if he is fit he will be absorbed.

Sri P. M. SWAMIDORAI.—That is quite true. But he is drawing already Rs. 150 and on 1st July 1954 this minimum pay is 150 and he will be there on Rs. 150. What is his position ?

Sri KADIDAL MANJAPPA.—He will get his increments.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Such questions should be left to the concerned authorities. By putting too many questions, you will be spoiling your case. (*Laughter.*)